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SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: The amendment is adopted.

ASSISTANT CLERK: I have nothing further on the bill.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Debate on advancement of the bill? Senator Suttle, you're recognized to close.

SENATOR SUTTLE: Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I thank you for advan...or voting for the amendment and I would just ask that we advance it and we'll...and we'll go from there then. Thank you.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: You've heard the closing. The question before the body is the advancement of LB 21. All those in favor vote aye; all those opposed vote nay. Record.

ASSISTANT CLERK: 29 ayes, 0 nays on the motion to advance, Mr. President.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: The bill advances. (Visitors introduced.) LB 21A.

ASSISTANT CLERK: Mr. President, LB 21A was introduced by Senator Suttle. (Read title.)

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Senator Suttle.

SENATOR SUTTLE: Mr. Speaker, I would ask that we just skip over that since it's really not necessary at this point with the amendment that I just did since it won't...the amendment won't cost anything.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Senator Suttle, would you come to the podium, please? Thank you. Senator Suttle, you may continue.

SENATOR SUTTLE: Mr. Speaker, thank you. I just wanted to say that after discussion with the Speaker, we will advance this. If we don't need it later on we can drop it, but we..he thinks that we should wisely let this go ahead and if we do need it, it will be there. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Debate on advancement of LB 21A? Seeing